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Applicant : Owen, et al.
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Applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for a 2 month extension of time.

TOTAL FEE DUE

\$205

\$376

The Commissioner of Patents is authorized to draft deposit account no. 06-1050 for \$376.

Respectfully submitted,

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